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SUBJ: TRADE PROMOTION, COLOR TELEVISION

REF: A) BOGOTA 9189, B) NYHEN-PASTORINO TELCON OF SEPT 26

1. AMBASSADOR EXPECTS THAT WITH PRESENTATION NOW SCHEDULED FOR OCT 19 AND WITH US COMPANIES HAVING AGREED TO PROVIDE EQUIPMENT FOR NOV SEMINAR, USDOC WILL BE ABLE TO DEVELOP NTSC PRESENTATION, ESPECIALLY CLOSED CIRCUIT TV IN WHICH SENATORS WILL BE ABLE TO SEE THEMSELVES ON NTSC EQUIPMENT. TOM MERSON, OF AMPEX, REDWOOD CITY, CA, HAS INFORMED EMB THAT AMPEX PLANS TO SHIP TO COLOMBIA A VIDEOTAPE RECORDER, CAMERA, AND MONITOR TO DEMONSTRATE NTSC EQUIPMENT FOR NOV SEMINAR. AMPEX HAS COLOMBIAN IMPORT PERMIT FOR EQUIPMENT, BUT IS UNCERTAIN IF EQUIPMENT WILL ARRIVE BOGOTA AND CLEAR CUSTOMS BY OCT 19. EMB HAS RAISED POSSIBILITY TO AMPEX OF SHIPPING EQUIPMENT UNDER DIPLOMATIC STATUS, PERHAPS AS UNACCOMPANIED BAGGAGE DURING NYHEN TRIP TO BOGOTA.

2. POST EXPECTING NYHEN TO ARRIVE IN BOGOTA ON OCT 16, WITH HIS PRESENTATION TO SIXTH COMMISSION OF SENATE ON OCT 19, AS AGREED UPON IN REF TELCON.

3. HOTEL RESERVATION FOR NYHEN OCT 16-20 CONFIRMED AT TEQUENDAMA HOTEL, BOGOTA. NYHEN WILL BE MET AT AIRPORT ON OCT 16 BY
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4. ACTION REQUESTED: CONTACT TOM MERSON, AMPEX, TO DISCUSS ARRANGEMENTS FOR SHIPPING AMPEX EQUIPMENT UNDER DIPLOMATIC STATUS TO ARRIVE IN BOOTA BY OCT 16 AT THE LATEST. ALSO, SEND NYHEN'S REQUIREMENTS FOR OTHER AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS TO USE IN HIS PRESENTATION. EMBASSY ALSO NEEDS BRIEF BIO INFO ON NYHEN TO

PROVIDE TO SENATE AND MEDIA AS WELL AS EXPLANATORY MATERIALS IN
SPANISH TO PROVIDE TO SIXTH COMMISSION IN ADVANCE OF NYHEN'S
VISIT.

5. AS PER REF TELCON, EMBASSY SUGGESTS NOV 15, 16, 17 AS DATES
FOR COLOR TELEVISION SEMINAR.
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